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## A SPLENDID SHOWING.

Every citizen of Nye county must feel proud of the showing made in the court of this judicial district since the present incumbent of the bench took his seat; and this sentiment must be particularly strong among those who remember the crowded condition of the court's docket in former days, when litigation was more than usually a long-drawn-out proceeding.

Investigation of the facts reveal that since Judge Averill took his seat on the bench, January 4, 1909, there have been 961 hearings before the court. Of these 700 were heard during the first eight months of the year; 133 during the next four months, while to date this year there have been 128 hearings. Many of these hearings of a cause were nothing more than demurrers or motions, but many of them were protracted trials.

One significant fact—and one that speaks well for the reputation the court enjoys for probity and fairness—is that out of some 500 civil cases a jury was demanded in but eight of them. In all the others lawyers and litigants were willing to let the court settle the matter.

It is not going beyond the verities to assert, we surmise, that the docket in no other judicial district of the state can make a showing with that of this in the matter of disposal of business, or as regards the amount of business disposed of.

## CENSORSHIP NEEDED.

Judging from a story that just comes from New York, it would appear that there is some necessity of having the moving picture shows—which the past few years have grown to be such a popular diversion—undergo some sort of censorship.

A boy of 10 years was arrested in the metropolis the other day charged with robbery. He had climbed the fire escape of an apartment house, entered the room and stole some money and jewelry which he found on a dressing table. When charged with the theft, to which he pleaded guilty, he offered in explanation: "I saw a man in one of the moving pictures rob a house just like that."

Here is a case where the direct incitement to a crime came from seeing the perpetration of a fictitious crime illustrated in a popular house of amusement. This erring lad derived both the suggestion of his crime, and the method by which it might be successfully carried out, directly from the pictures presented as a form of amusement.

There are wonderful possibilities in the moving picture idea for the education and entertainment of the young. But there are also, in the absence of any restraining influences as to the character of pictures offered the public, almost unlimited possibilities for evil in the business. Some method of censorship would appear to be urgently demanded in the larger cities, at least. In the smaller towns, where public opinion makes itself felt so quickly, managers of picture shows have shown keener discrimination and better taste in these matters. Here in Tonopah, for instance, an excellent standard has always been maintained at these exhibitions.

A good many candidates who figured on enjoying a vacation by the sea waves this summer will now, since the supreme court has sustained the primary law, doff their coats and stay at home.

Col. Bryan is out with the opinion that the democracy should select a western man as its standard bearer in 1912. And he probably defines a western man as a native of Nebraska.

The man these days who leaves Nevada for California to cool off is simply jumping from the refrigerator into the frying pan.

There is no reason the forthcoming celebration of the glorious Fourth in Tonopah should not be the most memorable event of the kind ever held here. Now that everything is on the up grade locally, the occasion is timely for a celebration that will be the biggest ever. Every real and loyal citizen of Tonopah should co-operate in making the event one to be remembered.

THE COUNTY DADS  
REFUSED TO PAY

Once in a while the county commissioners feel that they have to draw the line, and yesterday was one of the times when they felt that way. They refused to pay for a broken glass that gives admittance to the justice court in the court building.

During the excitement incident to the trial of the gun-toters imposed by the Tonopah and Goldfield railroad during the late strike a session of Judge Atkinson's court was held. There was a big crowd assembled—about twice as many as could get into the courtroom—and in the scuffling about the doorway the glass door was broken. The landlord repaired the damage and sent the bill to the county dads. But the latter were not in a gracious humor.

Fresh milk and cream—Tonopah Dairy.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

## MIZPAH HOTEL.

C. C. Wilkes, Goldfield; I. W. Holland, H. M. Roche, Chicago; Charles A. Smith, Liberty; J. H. Saul, Rochester, N. Y.; David McKinnon, San Francisco.

## THE GOSSARD CORSET

MADE A LOCAL HIT

Mrs. M. H. Miller, who has been here for some days demonstrating the Gossard corset to those of the women-folk of Tonopah who desire to be considered a la mode, leaves Reno this morning. She says her trip here has been a most successful one in every respect. The Shop of Swellides will carry a Gossard corset in stock in future. In all designs and sizes, and the ladies of the city may be perfectly fitted at this fashionable establishment.

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BUTLER THEATER  
CONTINUES TO  
DRAW CROWDS

Another big crowd enjoyed a delightful program at the Butler theater last night. Some of the best pictures ever shown in Tonopah are being offered.

The management wishes to announce that owing to the illness of Miss Anderson, the piano player, they were unable to have any illustrated songs last evening but will have some pretty songs today, to be sung by Miss Feldman.

Commencing with today's matinee there will be an entire change of program. New pictures and songs will be shown. The feature picture for today will be "Indian Blood," one of the best Indian pictures ever shown here. The acting and photography is perfect, in fact one of Lubin's best productions.

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SAYS AUDITOR

## STATEMENT OF COUNTY FINANCES FOR THE MONTH OF MAY; OTHER FUNDS.

County Auditor Grimes yesterday submitted his monthly report to the board of county commissioners, from which it appears there are still a few loose dollars floating around in this community. There is actually over \$17,000 in cash in the county treasury at this writing.

The report shows:

Balance on hand May 1, \$20,112.19.

Receipts during month, \$12,494.64.

Total, \$32,606.83.

Disbursements from all sources, \$14,948.28.

Balance on hand June 1, \$17,658.55.

The various county funds stand as follows:

General fund, \$26,520.

State fund, \$4,460.51.

Salary (overdrawn), \$230.76.

Contingent fund, \$224.09.

Indigent fund (overdrawn) \$1,119.03.

Court house fund, \$565.11.

Tonopah fire fund, \$832.07.

Rhyolite street and alley fund, \$14.66.

Emergency fund, \$1,233.30.

Judge's salary, \$583.33.

Nye county improvement fund, \$2,803.50.

District school fund, \$1,600.

State school fund, \$146.50.

PROSPECTORS  
FIND BODY OF  
UNKNOWN MANHAD EVIDENTLY BEEN DEAD  
SEVERAL YEARS; VICTIM  
OF FOUL PLAY.

A letter received by Sheriff Lamb from Florence, in the Pine Forest range, tells of the finding of the remains of an unknown man by W. A. Kopplin and W. E. Brennan, says the Humboldt Star. They found the remains while out prospecting, about two miles west of the Florence townsite. The body had evidently been carefully hidden

in a cleft in a rough granite cropping and covered over with rock. From appearances the man had been dead two or three years and most of his clothing and all personal effects removed or destroyed to avoid identification. The body was wrapped in an old blanket, had on a Scotch plaid shirt and a red bandana handkerchief was tightly twisted or knotted about the neck. The man was evidently past forty-five years of age.

Three teeth were missing from the upper jaw, two adjoining ones on the left side and one in front. Beside the corpse was lying a hand made crutch, indicating that the man was a cripple. The crutch had been considerably used. The man was evidently partly bald and his hair of dark color. Ten or twelve feet away was found the skeleton of a horse and it is not believed that the animal wandered to the spot, as the cropping is extremely rough, but rather that it was led to the place and killed and anyone passing near would see the horse's body and naturally suppose the odor came from the animal alone.

From the facts given in the letter to Sheriff Lamb the man was evidently the victim of foul play, unless the body should be that of an Indian. The Indian custom is to bury their dead among the rocks, covering the bodies to keep animals away.

The sheriff's office will make a thorough investigation to ascertain whether the body is that of a white man or an Indian. If it is that of a white man an inquest will be held to bring out all possible facts surrounding the case.

Any information which might possibly lead to the identification of the body should be sent to the sheriff's office and eventually what has some aspects of a murder mystery may be cleared up.

Location notices, both in book form or by the dozen. For sale at this office.

## (PERSONAL)

Traffic Manager Forster of the railroad returned last evening from a trip to Goldfield.

James Shea is in town from Manhattan on business.

Jake Goodfriend was a Goldfield visitor yesterday. He says the town is beautifully decorated in honor of the Knights of Pythias, the arrangement and design being particularly attractive.

Dr. P. D. McLeod has returned from a visit of several days to the Lake Tahoe country.

Lew Conley is back from the Coalinga oil district. He reports everything overdone there and that the town is full of men who are broke. The boom has hit it too hard.

George Holesworth, the Reno architect, formerly of Tonopah, passed through here yesterday on his way to Goldfield to take part in the big K. of P. doings. Mr. Holesworth built the State Bank building and the Mizpah hotel in this city.

EDDIE GRANEY WILL  
REFEREE FIGHT

By Associated Press.  
SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Eddie Graney will referee the fight between Sam Langford and Al. Kaufman in this city on June 18. Graney was selected tonight at a meeting of the two night managers.

To J. J. Owens, sheriff of Nye county, state of Nevada, and to the board of county commissioners of Nye county, state of Nevada: You and each of you will please take notice that on the 7th day of June, 1910, F. L. Berry, for and in behalf of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty company, a corporation, filed with the clerk of the board of county commissioners of Nye county, state of Nevada, a statement and its desire to withdraw as surety from the official bonds of J. J. Owens as sheriff and as assessor of Nye county, state of Nevada, the objects of and contents of said statement as stated therein, being as follows, to-wit:

That J. J. Owens was on the third day of November, 1908, duly elected to the office of sheriff and of assessor of the county of Nye, state of Nevada, and that on the fourth day of March, 1909, the said United States Fidelity and Guaranty company, a corporation, executed as surety to the state of Nevada an official bond on behalf of said J. J. Owens as sheriff of Nye county, state of Nevada, for the term which he was elected as aforesaid in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, United States gold coin, both of which said bonds were duly accepted, ratified and approved by the board of county commissioners of Nye county, state of Nevada, subsequent to the fourth day of March, 1909, and prior to the first day of January, 1910. You and each of you are hereby notified that the United States Fidelity and Guaranty company, a corporation, does hereby withdraw and does hereby express its desire to withdraw from said official bonds as surety thereon.

F. L. BERRY.  
In behalf of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty company.  
Respectfully yours,

F. L. BERRY.  
In behalf of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty company.  
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